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SUBJECT: PRESIDENT' S MESSAGE OF CONDOLENCE TO RULER OF
KUWAIT

REF: KUWAIT 1602

1. PLEASE TRANSMIT FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT NIXON
TO RULER OF KUWAIT, AMIR SABAH AL- SALEM AL- SABAH. BEGIN
Q QUOTE: YOUR EXCELLENCY: I WAS SADDENED TO LEARN OF THE
DEATH OF YOUR SISTER, SHAYKHA BIB AL- SABAH, WIDOW OF THE
LATE AMIR AHMAD AL- JABER, AND MOTHER OF THE CROWN PRINCE.
MRS. NIXON JOINS ME IN OFFERING OUR HEARTFELT CONDOLENCES
FOR THE PROFOUND LOSS SHAYKHA BIB' S PASSING REPRESENTS
TO YOU, YOUR FAMILY, AND ALL KUWAITIS. SINCERELY,
RICHARD NIXON. END QUOTE.

2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT OF
PRESIDENT' S MESSAGE, BUT HAS NO OBJECTION IF GOK WISHES
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